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Disposal transaction leads to unwanted mess

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On July 8, around 3:30 p.m., Michael Cantwell came home to find a large pile of unwanted goods and trash near his home on Woodridge Road. Everything from bicycles to plastic bins to bags of trash, were strewn about the street, explained Mary Anne Cantwell. The police promptly, "came out and found a bill belonging to someone on Depot St." explained Cantwell. "Long story short, the people on Depot St. hired someone from Craigslist to dispose of their trash" in preparation for an upcoming move. Unfortunately, the person who was hired did not have the means to dispose of the items properly.

Instead, that person opted to dump the unwanted goods onto Woodridge Road, leaving it to the Department of Public Works (DPW) to clean up the next morning.

It took the DPW two truckloads to clean up the area, exclaimed Cantwell.

As of July 9, the Duxbury Police had successfully identified the hired individual and are now in the process of determining the proper charges.

The lesson to be learned: "certainly do due diligence when you are hiring someone," advised Duxbury Police Lt. Chubb. "Hire someone who is reputable, or at the very least ask for identification."